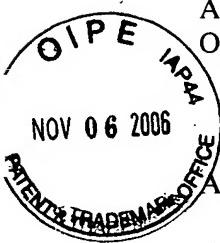


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Applicants: Jen-Leih Wu et al.) TC/A.U.: 1636
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FATTY ACID BINDING PROTEIN)
(L-FABP) GENE PROMOTER AND)
APPLICATIONS THEREOF)
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT

AMENDMENT (37 CFR §1.121)

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. §1.121) mailed October 31, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

No fee is believed to be due. Should any fees be needed to prevent abandonment of this application, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge the fees our Deposit Account No. 50-2849.